

House Resolution 1142

By: Representatives Setzler of the 35th, Manning of the 32nd, Ehrhart of the 36th, Neal of the 1st, Holt of the 112th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the tragic shooting that occurred in Kennesaw, Georgia, on January 12, 2010,
2 and expressing gratitude to the first responders and health care providers for their heroic
3 actions; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, a shooter opened fire at a Kennesaw truck rental and leasing company on the
5 afternoon of January 12, 2010, killing two and critically wounding three; and

6 WHEREAS, within minutes of the report of the shooting, officers from the Kennesaw City
7 Police Department, the Cobb County Police Department, Kennesaw State University, and the
8 Georgia Highway Patrol were on the scene and able to apprehend the shooter; and

9 WHEREAS, thanks to the dedicated efforts and courageous actions of these law enforcement
10 professionals, the shooter was taken into custody and more senseless violence was prevented;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, the surviving victims of the shooter's rampage were taken to WellStar
13 Kennestone Hospital in Marietta, Georgia, and are being provided expert medical care from
14 the compassionate staff of WellStar; and

15 WHEREAS, the thoughts and prayers of the General Assembly are with the families of the
16 victims as they deal with the aftermath of this tragic act of violence.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
18 GEORGIA that the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate join together
19 to express their most sincere regret for the January 12th shooting and extend their heartfelt
20 gratitude to the medical professionals and law enforcement officials who have rendered aid
21 to the victims in their time of need.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to members of the public and
24 the press.